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Matters of Life and Death: Religion and Law at the Crossroads

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3/13/07--The Boston College Law & Religion Program has announced that it will hold its inaugural conference on March 20, entitled *Matters of Life and Death: Religion and Law at the Crossroads*.

The conference, to be held on the Law School's Newton campus in East Wing Building Room 120, will bring international scholars together to discuss law, religion and biotechnology. It will be divided into two panel discussions on euthanasia and stem cell research. A buffet lunch will be held for the symposium participants, as well as a dinner for the participants, faculty, student members and the program sponsor.

About The Boston College Law & Religion Program

The Boston College Law & Religion Program is committed to a broad, open and diverse exploration of the intersection between law and religion. The program finds this mission in Boston College's Jesuit, Catholic identity and its distinctive commitment to scholarship on religion.

Conference Details

Keynote Speaker: Leon Kass

--Addie Clark Harding Professor in the Committee on Social Thought and the College, University of Chicago

-- Former chairman of the President's Council on Bioethics

Participants

George Annas

Boston Univ. School of Public Health

Rabbi Irving Breitowitz

University of Maryland School of Law

John Haas

National Catholic Bioethics Center

Michael Moreland

Villanova University School of Law

Ted Peters

Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary

Amedeo Santosuosso

State University of Pavia, Faculty of Law

O. Carter Snead

Notre Dame University Law School

Richard Stith
Valparaiso University School of Law

Schedule

9am - 10am Check-In/ Continental Breakfast

10am - 12pm Panel One: Euthanasia

12pm - 2pm Lunch

2pm - 4pm Panel Two: Stem Cell Research

4pm - 5pm Keynote Address: Leon Kass

5pm Dinner

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